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STATUS LETTER

We would appreciate receiving a Status Report on the above-identified application at the earliest possible date.

A review of our files indicates that the Notice of Publication, dated July 13, 2007, was the last correspondence from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in this application. Additionally of note, in response to Examiner Umez-Eronini's verbal Restriction Requirement of November 27, 2006, our client elected Group I, Claims 1-7. Examiner Umez-Eronini was contacted on December 6, 2007 to advise of this election. To date, this case has not progressed further.

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